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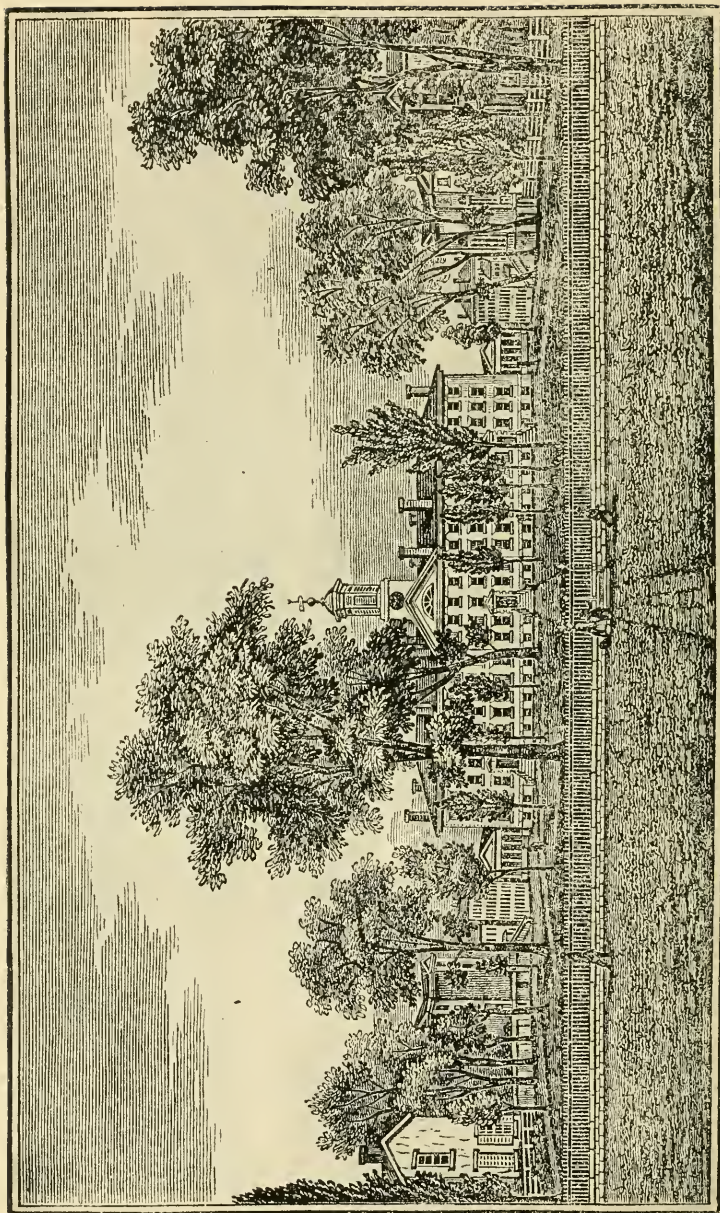
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THE CENTENNIAL CLASS

## College of New Jersey

PRINCETON, N. J.

Now Princeton University

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Consisting of Brief Biographies of its  
Members from 1847 to 1907

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With Portraits of the Faculty and the Class

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## Preface

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AS only the salient facts in the history of each member of the class, subsequent to leaving college, are given, a brief description of the Faculty, the college grounds and buildings, and the customs, habits and manner of life during its undergraduate course is here given as an introduction.

This period embraced what has been fitly termed a portion of the *Golden Era* of the College. The class commenced with its Freshman year in 1843, and closed with its Senior in 1847, in the midst of the college *centennial* celebration, and was therefore called the *Centennial Class*.

Its membership during the Freshman year was nine, and during its Sophomore, fifty-two; during its Junior, seventy-five, and during its Senior, sixty-five, of which number sixty-three received the degree of A.B. at the Commencement.

When the class started, the Faculty consisted

of Dr. James Carnahan, President; Dr. John Maclean, Vice President and professor of Greek; Joseph Henry, of natural philosophy; Albert B. Dod, of mathematics; Stephen Alexander, of astronomy; John Torrey, of chemistry and botany; James W. Alexander, of *belles-lettres*; Evert M. Topping, of ancient languages. In 1846 Matthew B. Hope was appointed professor of rhetoric, and in 1844 and 1845 George M. Giger, Nathan M. Owen and John T. Duffield were tutors. Charles S. Olden was the treasurer and William Clow the steward.

Of the foregoing-named professors, James W. Alexander resigned during the Sophomore, and Professor Albert B. Dod died during the first term of the Junior year of the class. The loss of these professors was much regretted. Both were very popular with the students because of their culture and eloquent lectures on *belles-lettres* and architecture. Professor Topping resigned during the Senior year. Though in ill health, he was much esteemed for his knowledge of the classics. The remainder of those named except Professor Hope, were members of the Faculty during the whole college life of class.

President Carnahan graduated in 1800; in 1801 was made tutor and in 1823 elected president. He was now in his forty-seventh year, in appearance and manner a type of the old-school Presbyterian minister as well as that of

the old-school country gentleman. He was of stalwart build and inclined to be portly; wore a snow-white cravat and dressed in plain dark clothes. His enunciation was always clear and precise, and his expression mild and benevolent. With cane in hand he walked about the college grounds or to his lecture room with a quiet, dignified step. By the students he was called "Old Boss," not in any disrespect, but as a tribute to his personality. His natural modesty, even temper, firmness and patience under exasperating provocation, his cordial, kindly greeting, his earnest teaching in the lecture room and his pleadings for the adoption of sound principles for life's government are among the cherished memories of the class. He resigned in 1854 on account of old age.

Professor John Maclean graduated in 1811. After serving as tutor and professor in various branches, was elected vice president in 1829, and on the resignation of Dr. Carnahan in 1854, was made president. He was in the prime of life during the career of the class. While not distinguished in any branch of learning, he was an all-round scholar and often supplied the place of a sick or absent professor. His activity, energy, kindness, enthusiasm and oversight pervaded the whole college. He seemed to have personal knowledge of the condition and characteristics of every student and to have all

and each under his special supervision. Being a bachelor, he seemed to look upon the college as his better half, and all its students as members of his family, as he seemed able to call them by name even in the dark. The slightest indication of a frolic, revelry or escapade, whether in the college buildings or in the campus, or in the streets of the village, would find him on the alert. After dark he carried a lantern, wore rubber shoes, and at most times a beaver hat of the Archaic type. The cry, "there comes Johnnie," promptly silenced any boisterous group or sent its members flying to their rooms. His tap! tap! tap! on the door was instantly recognized, and all forbidden things were promptly concealed before he was invited to enter. Often, instead of having a student he had caught violating the rules summoned before the Faculty, he would administer a rebuke, and he seldom rebuked without making a *friend*. He alone, of all the Faculty, seemed to be the closest in touch with the student life. Dear "old Johnnie," loved and beloved. Because of the infirmities that come with old age, he was obliged in 1868 to lay aside the strenuousness of his college life. The remainder of it was spent in writing a history of the Alma Mater he had loved so well and so long.

Professors Joseph Henry, Stephen Alexander and John Torrey were all scientists of inter-

national reputation in their lines of thought and study, and seldom mingled with the students in their outdoor life. In their lecture rooms they attracted and interested and instructed all with their learning.

The college grounds consisted of about four and one-half acres, oblong in shape, with a frontage of about 300 feet on the south side of Nassau Street, upon which the buildings were arranged as shown in the frontispiece. The principal one, Nassau Hall, or "Old North," as it was usually called, was three stories above the basement, with a cupola, in which hung the college bell. The chapel, a room about forty feet square, was in this building. Its only ornament was an oil painting of Washington, recalling the battle of Princeton in 1777. The pulpit, the platform about it and the seats for the students were all of Puritan plainness. Here, morning and evening, during week days and again on Sunday, all of the students assembled for prayer and answered to roll call. The roll of each class was also called at its recitations and examinations. In the basement of "Old North" the janitor kept a secondhand furniture depot for the convenience of students. The remainder of the building was used for dormitories of tutors and students. East and West Colleges were for dormitories. In the basement of Philosophical and Chemical Hall was the col-

lege commons or refectory; in the upper part were the lecture room and laboratories of Professors Henry and Torrey. Nearby was the steward's house. There was an additional commons east of East College, styled the *Poor House*, because of the reduced price of board and the absence of the tutors. During the life of the class it became very popular.

There were recitation rooms on both floors of the Library, and near it a brick dwelling in which Professor Henry resided. In the rear of the middle, or back campus, stood Cliosophic and Whig Halls, and in the center of this campus was planted the "old cannon." The residences of the president and vice president were near the street, and on each side of the front campus. In the rear of the former was the Faculty room, with door opening into the campus. This was in fact the president's office, but was known to the students as the "*Court House*."

These buildings were so arranged as to make the group unique and perfectly suited for the student life of that day. With the exception of Clio and Whig Halls, which were modeled after a Greek temple, they were plain, rugged, substantial structures, with rooms heated in the winter by open wood fires in the "Old North," by open grates in East and West Colleges, and by stoves in the chapel, halls and recitation rooms. There were no bath or toilet rooms. Water was

supplied from two pumps that stood in the rear of "Old North," and with the fuel, was carried to the rooms. Oil lamps furnished the light.

The character and arrangement of these buildings with their environments represented the thought and work of the plain, earnest and strong men who had during the past century devised and constructed them. Many, at least, of the older graduates regret that the old grouping has not been kept entire, both as an historic monument to the memory of their founders and builders as well as an illustration of the conditions of the old college life.

Under the distinguished professors already mentioned, and in and about the buildings shown and described, the class passed its undergraduate life. Its daily round consisted of morning prayers, breakfast, study hour, morning recitation, dinner, study hour, afternoon recitation, evening prayers, supper. The hour for retiring was 10 P. M., when the tutors made their rounds.

This daily round varied on Friday night, for attendance at the exercises in the "Halls," and on Sunday, when there were no recitations, but all had to attend the early and late prayers and a morning sermon in the chapel.

There was no special dress required or prohibited. In the summer time ordinary dressing gowns were largely worn, and in the winter a

student, or Spanish cloak. The members of the different classes mingled socially. As a rule the *close* associations were between the members of the same hall. This was due to the rivalry between them and the profound secrecy of their proceedings. But as a rule, except when hall rivalry was dominant, there was at all times a pleasant and friendly intercourse.

The honors sought by the ambitious members of the class, were the *Junior Oratorship*, *Editorship of the Nassau Monthly*, the *First Honor* for highest mark in study, the assignment of a *Speech* at Commencement and the *Valedictory Oration*.

The Junior orators were eight—four from each hall and were assigned to speak in public the evening before Commencement.

The Editors of the *Nassau Monthly* were four in number for the Senior year—two from each hall. Each one of the four had charge of the magazine for a month.

The Faculty selected the speakers for Commencement, as well as the First-Honor Man and the Valedictorian.

In looking back over the college days of the class, there are only dim memories of its student life as embraced in its daily routine, yet the memories of the interruptions of that life by sports, good comradeship, pranks and escapades seem to grow brighter as the graduate

grows older. In those far-away days there were few avenues through which exuberant youth could find a strictly lawful vent. There were no college songs. Athletics were confined to the shinny stick or a stroll to the canal, or a constitutional to Jugtown. And so at times some traditional prank was played, like rolling heated cannon balls along the halls of "Old North" for the tutors to pick up; the stealing of the clapper of the college bell, or turning it up on a cold night and filling it with water in order that it might not call to morning prayers; the barricading "Old North" on a cold night when the tutors and most of the students were at supper. These and many others cling to the old graduate's memory. While he has forgotten his Greek, Latin, Mathematics and Lectures on Philosophy, he recalls easily Professor Henry's experiments with Electricity, when he sent the current through the wires and through the class; of Professor Torrey's laughing-gas illustrations; the proposal of Professor Stephen Alexander that his head should modestly represent the *sun* as he placed it in the center of his Orrery; of President Carnahan's illustration of the association of ideas, with the story of the Swiss immigrant who, on sight of a lot of "Swiss cheese" on a dock on the North River, as the boat landed, exclaimed, "Oh! my country! my country!"

An old graduate, in writing about the undergraduate life of Princeton, has happily said :

“Memories sad as well as sweet, serious as well as ludicrous, crowd upon the mind of every son of Nassau who takes a pen in hand to write of the happy days gone by. No college has a life more crammed with mirth and humor, of youthful exuberance ; none is richer in historic association and sacred tradition ; none more free from vicious influence and corrupting example. Her sons look back with pride and pleasure, not only to the solid instruction received at her hands, but to the royal times spent beneath her shades. ‘Oh, happy years ! once more, who would not be a boy !’ ”

# Faculty, 1843-1847

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REV. JAMES CARNAHAN, D.D.

President

REV. JOHN MACLEAN, D.D.

Vice President, and Professor of the Greek Language and Literature

JOSEPH HENRY, M.D., LL.D.

Professor of Natural Philosophy

JOHN TORREY, M.D., LL.D.

Professor of Chemistry and Natural History

\*REV. ALBERT B. DOD, D.D.

Professor of Mathematics and Architecture

STEPHEN ALEXANDER, A.M.

Professor of Mathematics and Astronomy

† REV. JAMES W. ALEXANDER, D.D.

Professor of Belles-Lettres

REV. MATTHEW B. HOPE, M.D.

Professor of Belles-Lettres

¶ EVERT M. TOPPING, A.M.

Adjunct Professor of the Greek and Latin Languages

A. CARDON DE SANDRANS

Teacher of the French Language

GEORGE MUSGRAVE GIGER, A.M.

Senior Tutor and Assistant Teacher of Mathematics

A. ALEXANDER HODGE, A.M.

Tutor

N. MERRITT OWEN, A.M.

Tutor

JOHN T. DUFFIELD, A.M.

Tutor and Registrar

HENRY J. DAVID

Teacher *pro tem.*, of the German Language

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\* Died in 1845. † Resigned in 1844. ¶ Resigned in 1847.



PORTRAITS OF PROFESSORS. 1843-1847

# Class of 1847

Junior Orators, Tuesday Evening, June 23, 1846

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WILLIAM A. BLEVINS, Alabama, Subject, "Principle a Reality"

DANIEL ELLIOTT, Georgia

Subject, "Science, Not Literature, Demanded by the Age"

ROBERT FOSTER, New York . . . . Subject, "Man—the Age"

WILLIAM H. ARMSTRONG, Pennsylvania

Subject, "Public Opinion"

GEORGE M. ROBESON, New Jersey

Subject, "Our Nation's Sympathies"

WILLIAM HENRY WELSH, Pennsylvania

Subject, "The Spirit's Melodies"

CHARLES H. KEY, District of Columbia

Subject, "Modern Heroism"

HIESTER CLYMER, Pennsylvania, Subject, "Mythical Philosophy"

## Editors of the "Nassau Monthly"

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ROBERT FOSTER, December, 1846—No. IV, Vol. VI

WILLIAM A. BLEVINS, March, 1847—No. V, Vol. VI

BEVERLEY R. WELLFORD, JR., April, 1847—No. VI, Vol. VI

HIESTER CLYMER, May, 1847—No. VII, Vol. VI

# Class of 1847

Commencement Exercises, June 30, 1847

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## SPEAKERS

HENRY RINKER, Pennsylvania . . . . "Latin Salutatory"

HENRY CLAY CAMERON, District of Columbia  
English Salutatory, "Ancient Literature"

JOHN M. CANDOR, Illinois, "Development of American Mind"

\*N. A. COOPER SEWARD, New Jersey,  
"A Nation's Glory—Its Distinguished Few"

## Music

\*THADDEUS A. CULBERTSON, Pennsylvania,  
"Motives Give Moral Character to Action"

T. SCOTT H. McCAY, Mississippi  
"The Advantages of the American Orator and Poet"

JOHN GOSMAN, New York, "The True Principle of Action"

D. S. G. CABELL, District of Columbia . . . "Success in Life"

## Music

HENRY B. MUNN, New Jersey . . . "The Spirit of the Age"

ROBERT FOSTER, New Jersey . . . . . "Eclecticism"

JOSEPH M. RITTENHOUSE, New Jersey, "The Claims of Truth"

WILLIAM H. ARMSTRONG, Pennsylvania  
"National Amusements"

\*SAMUEL HENRY ORTON, New Jersey . . . "Self Acquaintance"

## Music

SAMUEL B. SMITH, New Jersey . . . "The Forgotten Great"

FREDERIC B. OGDEN, New Jersey . . "The Legal Profession"

EDWARD P. GUERARD, South Carolina, "English Radicalism"

\*Excused.

Music

W. SILAS WHITEHEAD, New Jersey, "The Religions of Nature"

JAMES M. JOHNS, Delaware . "The Influence of Authors"

WILLIAM WALLACE MARSH, New Jersey

"The Tomb Does Not Take All Away"

EDWARD PUGH, Louisiana . "The Talisman of Greatness"

Music

HIESTER CLYMER, Pennsylvania

"The Realization of the Ideal"

GEORGE M. ROBESON, New Jersey

"Our Institutions Favorable to the Cultivation of Eloquence"

SAMUEL J. MILLIKEN, Pennsylvania

"Things Seen and Unseen"

WILLIAM SERGEANT, Pennsylvania,

*"Labor improbus non omnia vincit"*

Music

AUGUSTINE H. FISH, New Jersey

"Public Opinion Not the Standard of Truth"

WILLIAM H. WELSH, Pennsylvania

A Poem, "The Martyr Spirit"

Music

Conferring of Degree of A.B.

BEVERLEY RANDOLPH WELLFORD, JR., Virginia

"Valedictory Oration"

At 4 P. M. the Alumni and invited guests formed in procession and marched to the campus in the rear of Nassau Hall, where tables were spread beneath a spacious and commodious tent for the accommodation of about seven hundred persons. The banquet to celebrate the Centennial was then served and followed by eloquent addresses.

# Members of Class

## 1843-1847

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00—Left before graduating.

A.B.—Degree conferred on graduation.

A.M.—Degree conferred after graduation.

Figures indicate the year in which a member died.

Members surviving in 1907 are marked "living."

ADLER, JOHN MERCER (District of Columbia), A.B. and A.M. ....	1904
ANTHONY, DANIEL GRAFIUS (Pennsylvania), A.B. ....	1859
ARMSTRONG, WILLIAM HEPBURN (Pennsylvania), A.B. and A.M. ....	living
BACON, FREDERIC (Canada), A.B.....	1902
BARBER, JOHN V. (Pennsylvania), 00.....	living
BARTLETT, HENRY CLAY (New Jersey), A.B.....	1864
BENBURY, JOHN AVERY (North Carolina). A.B. and A.M.	1862
BERRY, WILLIAM HENRY (District of Columbia), A.B. and A.M. ....	1859
BLEVINS, WILLIAM ARMSTRONG (Alabama), A.B.....	1853
BOUDINOT, RICHARD STOCKTON (New Jersey). 00 .....	1845
BUNN, JOHN WESLEY (New Jersey), A.B. and A.M....	1852
CABELL, DAVID S. GARLAND (Virginia), A.B.....	1893
CAMERON, HENRY CLAY (District of Columbia), A.B. and A.M. ....	1906
CANDOR, JOHN MONTGOMERY (Illinois), A.B.....	1849
CAROTHERS, THOMAS LEANDER (South Carolina), A.B...	1891
CLARK, ROBERT BRECKINRIDGE (Maryland), A.B.....	1905
COLT, MORGAN GIBBS (New Jersey), 00.....	1894
CLYMER, HIESTER (Pennsylvania). A.B. and A.M.....	1884
CULBERTSON, THADDEUS AINSWORTH (Pennsylvania), A.B.	1850
CUTHBERT, ALFRED (Georgia), A.B. and A.M.....	1880
DALRYMPLE, AARON PITNEY (New Jersey), A.B. and A.M.	1894

DAVISON, JAMES FINLEY (New Jersey), A.B.....	1850
DILLARD, JAMES WILLIS (North Carolina), A.B.....	1882
ELLIOTT, DANIEL STEWART (Georgia), 00.....	1862
EPPELSON, BENJAMIN H. (Texas), 00.....	1878
FAISON, JULIAN POYDRAS (North Carolina), 00.....	1892
FISH, AUGUSTINE HALLET (New Jersey), A.B. and A.M.,	1872
FORTIER, POLYCARP LUCIUS (Louisiana), A.B. and A.M.,	1877
FOSTER, ROBERT (New Jersey), A.B. and A.M.....	1894
FOUNTAIN, EZRA JAMES (New York), A.B. and A.M....	1861
GLASSELL, JOHN (Virginia), A.B. ....	living
GOSMAN, JOHN (New York), A.B. and A.M.....	1903
GRANT, SETH HASTINGS (New York), 00 and A.M....	living
GRYMES, WILLIAM SHEPHERD (Virginia), 00.....	1891
GUERARD, EDWARD P. (South Carolina), A.B.....	1865
HOWARD, FRANCIS KEY (Maryland), 00.....	1872
JOHNS, JAMES MONTGOMERY (District of Columbia), A.B.,	1880
JOHNS, MONTGOMERY (Maryland), A.B. and A.M.....	1871
JONES, EUSEBIUS LEE (District of Columbia), A.B. and A.M. ....	1876
KEY, CHARLES HOWARD (District of Columbia), A.B. and A.M. ....	1869
LLOYD, EDWARD (Maryland), A.B. ....	living
MARSH, WILLIAM WALLACE (New Jersey), A.B. and A.M.,	1892
MARTIEN, ALFRED (Pennsylvania), A.B. and A.M....	living
MAXWELL, CHARLES EDWARD (Georgia), A.B.....	1852
MCCAY, THOMAS SCOTT HENDERSON (Mississippi), A.B..	1882
McFARLAND, JAMES ROBERT (Virginia), 00.....	1859
McKEE, JOHN HENRY (South Carolina), A.B.....	1860
McKNIGHT, CHARLES (Pennsylvania), A.B. and A.M....	1881
MILLIKEN, SAMUEL JOHN (Pennsylvania), A.B.....	1900
MOORE, ISAIAH N. (Pennsylvania), 00.....	1862
MOORE, SAMUEL (Delaware), A.B. ....	1852
MUNN, HENRY BENSON (New Jersey), A.B. and A.M.,	living
MURDOCH, THOMAS FRIDGE (Maryland), A.B. and A.M..	1901
OGDEN, FREDERIC BEASLEY (New Jersey), A.B. and A.M..	1893
OLDEN, JOSEPH (New Jersey), 00.....	1886
OLIVER, HENRY HUNTER (Alabama), A.B. and A.M....	1864
ORTON, SAMUEL HENRY (New Jersey), A.B. and A.M....	1892
PUGH, DAVID BRYAN (Louisiana), 00.....	1886
PUGH, EDWARD F. (Louisiana), A.B.....	1870

RINKER, HENRY (Pennsylvania), A.B. and A.M.....	living
RITTENHOUSE, JOSEPH MENAGH (New Jersey), A.B. and A.M. ....	1903
ROBESON, GEORGE MAXWELL (New Jersey), A.B. and A.M.,	1897
SERGEANT, WILLIAM (Pennsylvania), A.B. and A.M....	1865
SEWARD, NATHAN A. COOPER (New Jersey). A.B. and A.M. ....	1856
SHEWALTER, GEORGE WILLIAM (Virginia), A.B. and A.M..	1877
SHEWMAKE, JOHN T. (Georgia), 00.....	1898
SMITH, SAMUEL BAYNTON (New Jersey). A.B.....	1886
SMITHPETER, WILLIAM (Tennessee), A.B.....	1904
STEVENSON, DAVID (New York), 00.....	1901
STONESTREET, JOSEPH HARRIS (Maryland), A.B.....	1895
STURGESS, JOHN R. (Georgia), 00.....	1862
STROTHER, JOHN HUNT (Missouri), A.B.....	1861
SWOPE, JOHN AUGUSTUS (Pennsylvania), A.B.....	living
TAYLOR, WILLIAM (Virginia), 00.....	1891
TINGLE, WILLIAM STUART WILLIAMSON (Maryland)...	1866
TOLAND, HENRY (Pennsylvania). A.B.....	1858
TODD, GEORGE W. (Pennsylvania), 00.....	1875
WELLFORD, BEVERLEY RANDOLPH, JR. (Virginia), A.B. and A.M. ....	living
WELSH, WILLIAM HENRY (Pennsylvania), A.B. and A.M.,	1903
WHITE, WILLIAM L. (Kentucky), 00 .....	not known
WHITEHEAD, JOHN RANDOLPH (Georgia), 00.....	1876
WHITEHEAD, JAMES TROUPE (Georgia), A.B.....	1889
WHITEHEAD, WILLIAM SILAS (New Jersey), A.B. and A.M. ....	1905
WILLSON, ALPHEUS EVANS (Pennsylvania), A.B. and A.M. ....	1884
WRIGHT, WILLIAM E. (Missouri), 00 .....	not known

## Biographies

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John Mercer Adler  
Taken at 66

ADLER, JOHN MERCER. Born August 9, 1828, at Georgetown, District of Columbia. Entered Junior. Studied medicine. In 1852 went to Panama as surgeon of the railroad company, with his classmate, Fountain, who left there in 1853 on account of impaired health and located at Davenport, Iowa, where Adler joined him in 1855. On the breaking out of the Civil War he was appointed United States surgeon of the Military Establishment of the State of Iowa, and continued in charge to the close of the war, in 1865. Then removed to Philadelphia and continued in successful practice of his profession till his death, February 11, 1904, in his seventy-fifth year. In 1857 married Harriet B. Gilbert, of Philadelphia, who, with three daughters survived him.



Daniel Grafius  
Anthony  
Taken at 22

ANTHONY, DANIEL GRAFIUS. Born September 27, 1825, at Williamsport, Pennsylvania. Entered Sophomore. Read law and practiced in his native town till his death, July 29, 1859, in his thirty-fourth year. In 1848 married Regina McDowell, of Williamsport, who died in June, 1859. They had four children.

ARMSTRONG, WILLIAM HEPBURN. Born September 7, 1824, at Williamsport, Pennsylvania. Entered Sophomore. Studied law with his father. Was admitted to the bar in 1849. In 1851 married Miss Annie Earp, of Philadelphia. In 1854 removed to Philadelphia, where he practiced until 1856, when his health failing, he traveled in Europe for one year, and on his return, under medical advice, resumed practice at Williamsport with his father. In 1859, and again in 1860, was elected a member of the Legislature of Pennsylvania. In 1860 was the Republican candidate for Speaker of the House. Gave way to a "War Democrat" that the House might



William Hepburn  
Armstrong  
Taken at 74

be organized in the interests of the Republican party. Was chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means. His report passed the House in one day and without amendment. Was one of the Committee of the House to meet Mr. Lincoln, president-elect, at the Ohio State line and escort him to Washington. In 1870 was a member of the Forty-first United States Congress. Was the author of the resolution authorizing and requiring the President to establish rules and regulations for the Civil Service—the beginning of the present Civil Service of the United States. Was the author of the resolution which declared that Congress would not thereafter recognize any Indian tribe as a power with whom they would contract by treaty. This settled the long controversy in which the Senate claimed the exclusive right to ratify Indian treaties, and the House denying the right of the Senate to make Indian treaties which obliged the House to make appropriations of money without their consent. In 1873 he was elected delegate-at-large to the convention to reform the constitution of Pennsylvania. Was chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary, and the author of the system which abolished the District and *Nisi Prius* Courts as separate organizations, and established the Courts of Common Pleas in uniform organization and jurisdiction throughout the State. Also of the provision

which established distinctive Orphans' Courts to audit and pass upon accounts of decedents without reference to masters and without expense to the parties. In 1880 he was a delegate-at-large to the Republican Convention at Chicago, and served on the same committee with Mr. Garfield. Was one of the 306 steadfast supporters of Grant. He was appointed United States Commissioner of Railroads by President Arthur, which office he retained until the first election of President Cleveland, when he resigned. In 1884 his wife died. He never afterwards married. There were four children born to him, two sons and two daughters—one son and one daughter now (1907) living. In 1886 he removed to Philadelphia, but did not resume the general practice of the law, although he accepted engagements in a few important cases. In 1899 he accepted the office of president of the Mexican Plantation Company, a tropical plantation of 5500 acres; and in 1904 he accepted the presidency of the International Lumber and Development Company—a company owning title in fee to 288,000 acres in Mexico, 20,000 acres of which are being cultivated to henequin, rubber, and other tropical products.

BACON, FREDERIC. Born March 18, 1824, at Hatleyborough, Lower Canada, to which place his parents had removed from New England. Resided for some years, while young, with rel-

atives in Georgia, where he was prepared for college. Entered Sophomore. After graduation returned to his former home in Canada and engaged in agricultural pursuits. Later in life became blind, but remained on the farm till his death, May 28, 1902, in his seventy-ninth year. Was very highly esteemed and respected by his acquaintances for his learning and sound judgment. Married, and left one son, now (1906) Treasurer of a Mercantile Co., Louisville, Ky.



John V. Barber

Taken at 72

BARBER, JOHN V. Born May 19, 1824, White Springs, Union County, Pennsylvania. Entered Sophomore. Left in 1845 on account of poor health. Then lived on a farm for ten years. Health having improved, though never robust, moved to Mifflinburg, Pennsylvania, and engaged

and continued in mercantile business for nearly thirty years. Subsequently not in any active business. Has been superintendent of Sunday schools some forty years: an elder in the Presbyterian Church nearly half a century.

BARTLETT, HENRY CLAY. Born April 10, 1827, at Stanhope, New Jersey. Entered Sophomore. Studied law. Afterwards engaged in banking

and the brokerage business. Was successful. Retired, and spent a year in Texas, then made his residence in Caldwell, New Jersey. On the breaking out of the Civil War, raised a company and joined the Seventh Regiment, New Jersey Volunteers, August 28, 1861. Was in the Army of the Potomac and commanded his regiment in the seven-days' fight before Richmond, Virginia, and was praised for gallantry. His health failing, resigned January 14, 1863, and returned home. Subsequently was appointed a captain in the 133d Regiment, New Jersey Volunteers, and became part of the Army of Tennessee. Was mortally wounded while leading a battalion against the enemy's works at "Dug Gap," near Dalton, Georgia, May 8, 1864. Died the next day, in his thirty-eighth year. Married, January 13, 1854. Mary E. Russell. Issue, four daughters—Genevieve, Minnie, Lydia and Josea.



Henry Clay Bartlett  
Taken at 31

BENBURY, JOHN AVERY. Born February 9, 1827, at Sandy Point, Chowan County, North Carolina. Entered Junior. Read law and followed planting. In 1859 became a member of the House of Commons of North Carolina. On the secession of his State volunteered in the

Confederate Army and was commissioned first lieutenant, Company A, First Regiment, North Carolina State Troops,

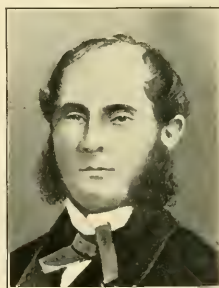


John Avery Benbury  
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afterwards promoted to captain. Was mortally wounded at the battle of Malvern Hills, and died in Richmond, Virginia, four days later—July 4, 1862—in his thirty-sixth year. Married Harriet Ryan, of Windsor, Bertie County, North Carolina. Left sur-

living, his wife and one child—a daughter.

BERRY, WILLIAM HENRY. Born December 3, 1827, at Georgetown, District of Columbia. Entered Sophomore. Studied medicine. In 1850, in company with his classmate, Thomas F. Murdoch, went to Europe and pursued his studies in Paris till 1853, when he returned and practiced his profession in Washington, District of Columbia, until his death, February 19, 1859, in his thirty-first year.

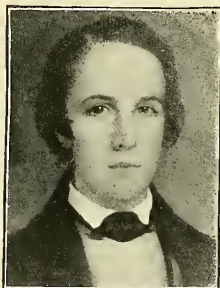


William Henry Berry  
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BLEVINS, WILLIAM ARMSTRONG. Was born May 10, 1827, at Pleasant Valley, near Selma,

Alabama. Entered Freshman. Was one of the Junior orators at the Commencement of 1846. Was also one of the class editors of the *Nassau Monthly*. After graduating, returned to his father's home, Pleasant Valley. His father being a wealthy planter, he did not feel the necessity of acquiring a profession, and like most of the Southern men of that period, led a life of social ease and pleasure. He married, in the winter of 1848, Miss Mary Weaver, of Selma; and died at that place, September 14, 1853, of yellow fever, in his twenty-seventh year, esteemed and loved by his family and friends.

BOUDINOT, RICHARD STOCKTON. Born February 24, 1828, at Newark, New Jersey. Entered the Sophomore. Died while in college from a wound received by the accidental discharge of his gun. The *Nassau Monthly* of October, 1845, says: "About ten days ago our



R. Stockton Boudinot  
Taken at 17

fellow student, R. Stockton Boudinot, a member of the Junior class, dangerously wounded himself while on a hunting excursion with some of his friends. Our college has been thrown into gloom over this sad event." And in the November number, continues:

“The morning was delightful and bright with anticipated enjoyment, when our fellow student a few weeks since went forth on a day’s excursion. But, alas, the instrument of pleasure became to him the minister of death! On the evening of the Sabbath, November 2, 1845, he calmly and peacefully breathed his last.” In his nineteenth year.



John Wesley Bunn  
Taken at 25

BUNN, JOHN WESLEY. Born 1826, near Pennington, in the State of New Jersey. Entered Junior. Became a teacher. Taught one year, then went to Europe, being in poor health. At the end of a year returned and became principal of a private school in Haddonfield, New Jersey. Was there

attacked with hemorrhage of the lungs. Died at the home of his parents, in Pennington, of consumption, January 19, 1852, in his twenty-sixth year.

CABELL, DAVID S. GARLAND. Born June 23, 1825, in Amherst County, Virginia. Entered Sophomore. Read law. In 1849 appointed clerk in the United States General Land Office. In 1853 resigned and commenced practice of law at New Market, Nelson County, Virginia, and followed it in four counties till the commencement

of the Civil War. During the war held both military and civil positions in Virginia. At its

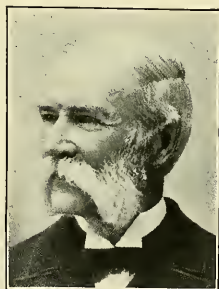


David S. Garland  
Cabell  
Taken at 42

close was elected to the Virginia State Senate for four years, taking his seat December 4, 1865, and was an active member, as shown by its journals. In 1871-4, was professor in the Norwood high school and college, Nelson County, Virginia. At the expiration of his professorship, resumed the prac-

tice of law. During most of his life was a prolific writer for newspapers, magazines, and periodicals. Died August 14, 1893, at the home of his brother, in Virginia, in his sixty-ninth year. Was never married.

CAMERON, HENRY CLAY.  
Born September 1, 1827, at Shepherdstown, Virginia (now West Virginia). Entered Junior. Engaged in teaching in a private family in King George County, Virginia, for three years. In 1850 entered the Theological Seminary, Princeton, New Jersey. In 1852 became tutor of Greek in the college at Princeton, and on



Henry Clay Cameron  
Taken at 78

finishing his course in the seminary, in 1855, was appointed adjunct professor of Greek. In 1858 was licensed to preach, and in 1861 was ordained to the ministry in the Presbyterian Church and was a member of the General Assembly in 1875 and again in 1887, again in 1900. Visited Europe four times and had many interesting experiences in his travels. Has delivered in different places interesting addresses and written valuable articles for leading periodicals. His life has been devoted to the best interests of the college, both as professor and administrative officer. Received honorary degrees from Princeton and other colleges. Died, October 25, 1906, in his eightieth year, after undergoing a surgical operation. Married, September 14, 1858, Miss Mina Chollet. Had two children, one of whom, Arnold Guyot, born July, 1859, is living. His wife and son survive him.

CANDOR, JOHN MONTGOMERY. Born in the year 1825, in Union County, Pennsylvania. Entered Sophomore. After graduation entered the Princeton Theological Seminary, where he died, November 13, 1849, of consumption, in his twenty-fourth year. Was highly esteemed, and his body was accompanied by a portion of his fellow students to the place of his burial, Danville, Pennsylvania.

CAROTHERS, THOMAS LEANDER. Born June 25, 1821, in Union District, South Carolina. En-

tered Senior. Engaged in teaching. Became the president of Washington College, east Tennessee. Subsequently located at Decatur, Alabama. Spent many years teaching in Houston, Aberdeen, and West Point, Mississippi. Was a most successful educator. Enjoyed splendid health until Christmas Eve, 1890, when on his way to an entertainment given by the Sunday school of his church, he was thrown from his buggy and sustained injuries from which he died October 1, 1891, in his seventy-first year. Was an active member of the Presbyterian Church. Married, December 1848, Mary E. Miller, of Chickasaw County, Mississippi. Left four sons and two daughters.



Thomas Leander  
Carothers  
Taken at 55

CLARK, ROBERT BRECKINRIDGE. Born April 2, 1824, in Baltimore, Maryland. Entered Sophomore. Studied law. Practiced for a year or two, then removed to St. Louis, Missouri, and followed merchandizing. Made a respectable fortune and lost it. Then accepted the position of superintendent of the office of Recorder of Deeds, in St. Louis. In charge for sixteen years and on account of age, withdrew about 1900. Married, in 1858, Miss Gaither, of Frederick, Maryland. In 1896 had living, three children--

two sons, Robert and Stuart, and one daughter,

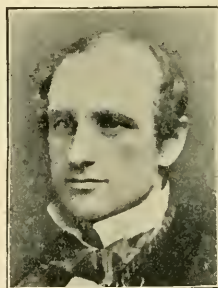


Robert Breckinridge  
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Mrs. Harvey G. Mudd. After leaving the Recorder's office, passed the spring and summer of each year with son and daughter in St. Louis, and the fall and winter with his other son, residing in Meriden, Mississippi. While with the latter, died suddenly of apoplexy, October 18, 1905, in his

eighty-second year. Was buried on the following Saturday, at Frederick, Maryland, by the side of his mother.

COLT, MORGAN GIBBS. Born March 10, 1826, at Paterson, New Jersey. Entered Sophomore. Left in 1845. Inherited a large fortune. Studied no profession. Married, October 27, 1857, Miss Mary Burrows. Died April 10, 1894, in his sixty-eighth year.



Morgan Gibbs Colt  
Taken at 24

CLYMER, HESTER. Born November 3, 1827. Caernarvon, Berks County, Pennsylvania. Entered Junior. Studied law. Practiced in Pottsville, and Reading, Pennsylvania. In 1860 was a delegate to the National Democratic Convention

at its sessions in Charleston and Baltimore. In the Pennsylvania State Senate from October, 1860 to 1866, in March, when he was nominated by the Democrats for governor. Was defeated. In 1868 delegate to the National Democratic Convention in New York. Visited Europe 1870-1871. President of Democratic State Convention at Reading, Pennsylvania, in 1872. Was elected to the Forty-third, Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth United States Congress. Retired to private life after March 4, 1881. Devoted himself to business pursuits. Married, in 1856, Elizabeth Mary Brooke, of Birdsboro, Pennsylvania. She died in 1870. Married, second time, Miss Minnie Clement, of St. Louis, Missouri. Died suddenly at his home in Reading, Pennsylvania, June 12, 1884, in his fifty-seventh year, as reported in the newspapers, from an overdose of morphine, taken the evening previous. Left no children.



Hiester Clymer  
Taken at 53

CULBERTSON, THADDEUS AINSWORTH. Born about 1826, at Chambersburg, Pennsylvania. Entered Sophomore. In 1848 entered Princeton Theological Seminary. In 1849 taught school in Virginia. In the spring of 1850, being out of

health, arranged with the officers of the Smithsonian Institution to make a tour up the Missouri River for collection of specimens of animal and vegetable life. This he did in company with his brother, Alexander, who had been connected with the American Fur Trading Company. On his return, made an interesting report, embracing a narrative from April 27, 1850, to July 6, 1850, which the institution included in its fifth annual report to the Board of Regents. He returned in good health with a prospect of a long life. Later in the year suffered an attack of a prevailing disease and died after a few weeks' illness, in his twenty-fourth year.



Alfred Cuthbert  
Taken at 44

CUTHBERT, ALFRED. Born January, 1826, in Savannah, Georgia. Entered Junior. After leaving college, lived on his plantation in Jasper County, Georgia, the life of a literary man and planter. Although inheriting a large number of slaves, was opposed to the institution, and arranged for the deportation

of such as were willing to go with the American Colonization Society, and to manumit the rest. Spent a large portion of his time visiting friends in the North. During the Civil War served as a private in a cavalry company

in the Confederate Army. After the war, continued his visits North, and died at Morristown, New Jersey, December, 1880, in his fifty-fourth year, of apoplectic seizure. Married, 1856, eldest daughter of Rev. S. S. Davis, of Augusta, Georgia. Had two children, son and daughter, residents of Augusta, Georgia, 1897.

DALRYMPLE, AARON PITNEY. Born November 21, 1824, at Dover, Morris County, New Jersey. Entered Sophomore. Studied medicine. Held position in Bellevue Hospital, New York City, for one year, then, as surgeon on United States Mail Steamship "Atlantic." In 1856 opened an



Aaron Pitney  
Dalrymple  
Taken at 39

office in New York City, was appointed a police surgeon and also surgeon of the Twelfth Regiment, National Guards, New York. In the Civil War, entered the service September 11, 1861, as surgeon, with rank of major. Was with the expedition against Fort Royal, Beaufort, Fort Pulaski, and other Southern points. In 1862 was promoted to the rank of Brigadier Surgeon of Volunteers, and soon after was appointed chief medical officer of the Southern Military District, with headquarters at Charleston, South Carolina. Held his medical appointment till

close of the war. February 2, 1866, was honorably mustered out. After the war, resumed his practice in New York City and continued it till within a couple of years of his death. Was member of the New York County Medical Society, The Loyal Legion, and the New York Princeton Club. Died of paralysis, at his home in New York City, February 26, 1894, in his seventieth year. Left a widow and one son. Was buried at Mount Freedom, Morris County, New Jersey, about four miles from Dover. Married, in 1853, Ellen Hutchens, of New Brunswick, New Jersey. She died January 23, 1896.

DAVISON, JOHN FINLEY. Born about 1826 in (reported) Newark, New Jersey. Entered Sophomore. Commenced the study of medicine in New York City. Relinquished on account of feeble health and died in Newark, New Jersey, January, 1850, in his twenty-fourth year.



James Willis Dillard  
Taken at 30

DILLARD, JAMES WILLIS. Born December 17, 1826, in Sussex County, Virginia. Removed to North Carolina. Entered Sophomore. Engaged in planting in Southampton and Nansemond counties, Virginia. Married, in 1856, Sarah Browning Cross, Nansemond, Virginia.

Health was much broken by the reverses of the Civil War, and removed to Norfolk, Virginia, and entered the business of cotton commission merchant. Died May 20, 1882, in his fifty-sixth year, leaving one son, now (June 20, 1907) professor in Tulane University, New Orleans, Louisiana.

ELLIOTT, DANIEL (STEWART). (The "Stewart" added by the Legislature.) Born November 20, 1826, in Savannah, Georgia. Entered Freshman. Continued on through most of the Senior year, but left before graduation. Commenced reading law in Philadelphia. In September, 1849, was engaged in the coast survey. Subsequently lived abroad eight years. Married, June 1, 1858, Lucy Ireland Sorrel. Was abroad on breaking out of Civil War, but returned, entered Confederate service. Withdrew on account of ill health and died August 3, 1862, in his thirty-sixth year, leaving widow and two children, John Stewart and Matilda Moxley.

EPPERSON, BENJAMIN H. Born November 30, 1826, in Amite County, Mississippi. Entered Junior. Left before graduating. Removed to Texas, settling at Clarksville, where he resided until about 1871. Studied law, was admitted to the bar and practiced with marked ability and success. Was an active Whig politician before the war, and was the candidate of his party for governor in 1851, at a time when he was below

the constitutional age. In 1852 was at the head of the Texas delegation to the Whig National



Benjamin H. Epperson  
Taken at 52

Convention. Served in the Legislature practically from 1853 to his death, except during the war and reconstruction. In the controversy over secession was a Union man, standing substantially with General Houston on that question.

After the State seceded, he cast in his allegiance with the Confederacy. Having been crippled in an accident, he saw no active service in the army, but gave liberally of his time and money to the Southern cause. In 1866, and again in 1868, he was elected to the United States Congress, but was not permitted to take his seat. Because of his wide personal acquaintance and unusual ability, he exercised a wide political influence throughout the State. He was one of the first presidents of the old Memphis, El Paso & Pacific Railroad, now the Texas & Pacific, and was highly instrumental in the railroad development of Texas. He died in September, 1878, at his home in Jefferson, Texas, of nervous prostration, in his fifty-second year. He was twice married, and left surviving, a widow and five children.

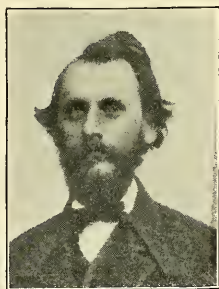


Julian Podras Faison

FAISON, JULIAN PODRAS. Born in 1826, in Sampson County, North Carolina. Entered Sophomore. Left in 1846, before graduating. Studied law. Did not practice. Followed planting. Was a delightful companion, and a kind and considerate master of his slaves. "Mar-

ried at an early age, a woman of singular beauty and culture." In 1855 joined the Baptist Church, and in 1857 was ordained to its ministry, and labored in country churches, winning fame as a preacher and pastor. In the Civil War, served in the Confederate Army, first as private and then as chaplain, until broken health compelled his retirement. Subsequently continued his preaching, and died about 1892, in his sixty-sixth year, when away from home, in the high duties of his calling.

FISH, AUGUSTINE HALLET. Born November 28, 1828, at Trenton, New Jersey. Entered Sophomore. Studied medicine. Was a resident physician of Blockley Hospital, Philadelphia, till the fall of 1854, when he mar-



Augustine Hallet Fish  
Taken at 40

ried Sarah P. Cheeseman, of Philadelphia. Opened office in that city and followed his profession till about three months before his death. Was visiting physician to the Philadelphia Dispensary and one of the physicians of the Charity Hospital. Was never robust. Died August 3, 1872, in his forty-fourth year, at Cooperstown, New York, while in pursuit of health, being a consumptive, and was buried in Ewing, Mercer County, New Jersey.

FORTIER, POLYCARP LUCIUS. Was born April 27, 1827, on the family plantation, Jefferson Parish, Louisiana. Entered Senior and graduated with the class, then returned to his plantation home. Married, August 25, 1847, Louise Labranche. Engaged in planting. Gave special attention to the cultivation of orange trees and was considered an authority in that line. He also became a contractor for construction of levees, and acquired a reputation in filling the roadbed of Morgan's Louisiana & Texas Railroad from New Orleans to Berwick Bay, as it was an engineering feat and herculean task that no other parties could be induced to undertake. He died, November 21, 1879, at the home of E. F. Garcia, in New Orleans, of disease of the liver, in his fifty-first year.

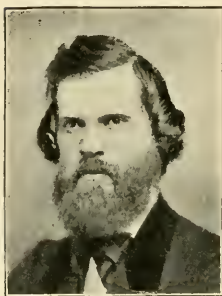
FOSTER, ROBERT. Born December 20, 1826, at Bath, Maine. Entered Sophomore. Commenced teaching in Bloomfield Academy, New Jersey. In 1857, with his brother-in-law, Charles M. Davis, erected and opened a school for boys. Two years afterwards opened the Dudley English Classical School in Brooklyn. In 1856 became the superintendent of the Collegiate Department of the Brooklyn Polytechnical Institute, and held the position till his death, March 6, 1894, in his sixty-seventh year. He was also secretary of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, and president of the Union for Christian Work. Married first, in October, 1853, to Alida Robinson, of Thomaston, Maine. She died three years afterwards, of consumption. Married second, February 17, 1859, to Augusta Swain, of Brooklyn. Left surviving, his widow and four daughters.



Robert Foster  
Taken at 60

FOUNTAIN, EZRA JAMES. Born about 1826, at Peekskill, West Chester County, New York. Entered Junior. Studied medicine. In 1852 was employed as surgeon on the Panama Railroad, with his classmate, John M. Adler. In

1853, on account of impaired health, returned North and located at Davenport, Iowa, where,



Ezra James Fountain

in 1855, he was joined by Adler. They practiced there, associated together, till his death, March 29, 1861, in his thirty-fifth year. Adler writes, June 13, 1887: "I was with him when he died, from an overdose of chlorate of potash, with which he was experimenting, a victim of his zeal and

enthusiasm in the prosecution of medical investigation. Was the best medical practitioner I ever knew." Married in 1856 to Miss Burroughs, of Davenport, Iowa, who survived him.

GLASSELL, JOHN. Born August 16, 1828, in Fauquier County, Virginia. Moved to Culpepper County. Entered the Junior class. After graduating engaged in farming. In December, 1858, moved to De Soto Parish, Louisiana. Served as a private in the Confederate Army till the end of the war. In 1886 was ordained a preacher by the Presbytery of Red River, and was sent to the Southern Gen-



John Glassell  
Taken at 75

eral Assembly, in Baltimore, Maryland, in 1888. A few years after graduation, married Mary F. Thomas, of Culpepper, Virginia. Issue, nine children—three boys and six girls. His wife died in 1891. A few years later, was stricken with paralysis. Several strokes followed. April 4, 1902, his son writes that his father was quite feeble and nearly blind.

GOSMAN, JOHN. Born March 19, 1826, near Ithaca, New York. Entered Junior. Engaged in teaching. Taught in Virginia, 1849 to 1851; in South Carolina and Georgia, 1851 to 1857. Principal of West Jersey Academy, Bridgeton, New Jersey, 1859 to 1868; of a boarding school at Springboro, Ohio, 1871 to 1881; of the Doylestown Seminary, Pennsylvania, 1882 to 1890. Taught at other places, and at his death, May 25, 1903, was considered one of the foremost educators of the country. In 1853, married Sarah F. Furman. At the time of his death was an elder in the Doylestown Presbyterian Church. He died in his seventy-eighth year.



John Gosman  
Taken at 58

GRANT, SETH HASTINGS. Born June 6, 1828, in Marshall, Oneida County, New York. Entered Freshman. Left during Sophomore on account

of an attack of pneumonia; returned during Junior, but finding it too difficult to keep up



Seth Hastings Grant  
Taken at 56

with the class, left without graduating, then followed a somewhat literary life. Was first with the publishers, "Wiley & Putnam," of New York City. Then appointed librarian of the Mercantile Library Association of the City of New York. Held the position for seventeen years. During that

time, in 1850, became the editor of *Norton's Literary Gazette* and *Publishers' Circular*. In 1853, secretary of the Meeting of Librarians in New York City. Was an officer of the Athenæum Club. In 1855 visited Europe, examining libraries; there met Thackeray and arranged a course of lectures in New York City. In 1860 entered on a general brokerage and real estate business. In 1873 prepared the annual report of the New York Produce Exchange. In 1882 was appointed private secretary of Franklin Edson, mayor of New York. In 1883 was appointed comptroller of the city, and on retiring, served one year as vice president of the National Bank of New York City. Married, October 14, 1858, Margaret Van Antwerp, New York. Issue, three children. June 4, 1848, united with Cen-

tral Presbyterian Church, subsequently with the Madison Square Presbyterian Church. Has served as deacon and ruling elder thirty years.

GRYMES, WILLIAM SHEPHERD. Born April 3, 1825. in Orange County, Virginia. Entered Sophomore. Left before graduating. Studied medicine. In 1850 settled in Gordonsville, Virginia, and practiced medicine and surgery with distinguished success till the breaking out of the Civil War. Accompanied the local volunteers and soldiers to Harper's Ferry, April 17, 1861. Was appointed surgeon of the Thirteenth Regiment, Virginia Infantry—General A. P. Hill's regiment—and was promoted brigade and division surgeon. Served continually to the close of the war at Appomattox, April, 1865. He attained great distinction as a surgeon, and was regarded with great affection by the soldiers. Married, June 1, 1870, Miss M. A. Bernard, who (1897) survives him, with two daughters and two sons. Died March 26, 1891, aged sixty-five, universally regretted by the profession and the public.



William Shepherd  
Grymes  
Taken at 45

GUERARD, EDWARD P. Was born November 20, 1827, in Charleston, South Carolina. Entered Sophomore. Graduated. Was assigned a

speech at Commencement; subject, "English Radicalism." After graduation, traveled two



Edward P. Guerard  
Taken at 21

years in Europe. On his return, engaged in rice planting. Spoke French and Italian and understood German. Married Theodora C. Gailard in 1855. Was taken ill in 1858, continued in poor health, and died in 1865, in his thirty-eighth year, of some stomach trouble, leaving widow and two children.

HOWARD, FRANCIS KEY. Born October 25, 1826, in Baltimore, Maryland. Entered Sophomore. Left before graduation. Studied law. Practiced for some years. In 1858, during the mob rule in Baltimore, prior to the Civil War, gave up his profession and became one of the editors of the *Baltimore Exchange*, and in 1859 one of its proprietors. September 13, 1861, he was arrested by the military of the United States and confined first in Fort McHenry, then in Fortress Monroe, then in Fort Lafayette, and finally in Fort Warren, Boston, until November 27, 1862,



Francis Key Howard  
Taken at 45

when he was unconditionally released. He published two pamphlets in 1863, on the subject of his imprisonment and the state of affairs in Maryland, entitled "Fourteen Months in an American Bastile, " and "The Southern Rights and Union Parties Contrasted." After his release, became one of the editors and proprietors of the *Baltimore Gazette*, a successor to *The Exchange*. Married Lydia E. Hollingsworth Morris. Issue, six children. Died in London, May 29, 1872, in his forty-sixth year, and was buried in St. Paul's burying ground, Baltimore, Maryland.

JOHNS, JAMES MONTGOMERY. Born January 28, 1828, at New Castle, Delaware. Entered Sophomore. Studied law and practiced his profession until his death. Died March 20, 1880, in his fifty-third year, at Centerville, Maryland. Married, June 13, 1851, Eliza Hopkins.



James Montgomery  
Johns  
Taken at 50

JOHNS, MONTGOMERY. Born April 22, 1828, in Cincinnati, Ohio; then moved to Maryland. Entered Sophomore. Studied medicine. Practiced a short time in Baltimore, Maryland. Removed to La Grange, Missouri, having accepted a professorship in a medical college. In 1860 returned to Maryland, purchased a farm in

Prince George County. Practiced medicine. Lectured in the Maryland Agricultural College and in the Medical College in Washington, District of Columbia. A few years before his death, decided to study for the ministry of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and would soon have been ordained. He died July 28, 1871, in his forty-third year, in Prince George County. Was buried in Greenmount Cemetery, Baltimore. Married, September 19, 1857, Salome Lydia Diffenderffer. Left issue.



Eusebius Lee Jones  
Taken at 40

JONES, EUSEBIUS LEE. Born in Washington, District of Columbia, December 20, 1827. Entered Junior. Graduated. Studied medicine. Was house surgeon at Bellevue Hospital, New York City, from May 11, 1850, to October 1, 1851; then assistant surgeon, United States Army, to March 7, 1852. Was member of the New York Pathological Society, attending physician at the New York Dispensary, and house physician of the Demitt Dispensary from July 1, 1853, to July 1, 1857. Then engaged in private practice in New York City. Married, May 23, 1860, Julia Calvert Stuart, daughter of Dr. Charles Stuart, King George County, Virginia. She died in

1861, leaving one son, Julian Stuart Jones, now (January, 1907) lawyer, Baltimore, Maryland. September 3, 1873, Married (second) Martha Moran, of New York, and shortly afterwards removed to Oakland, California, where he died of congestion of the lungs, January 30, 1876, after a short illness, in his forty-ninth year.

KEY, CHARLES HOWARD. Born July 20, 1827, in Georgetown, District of Columbia. Entered Freshman. Studied law. Practiced for some years in Baltimore, Maryland. Married, November, 1852, Elizabeth Lloyd, of Talbot County, Maryland. About 1860 retired from practice of the law and spent



Charles Howard Key  
Taken at 21

the rest of his life as a planter, in Talbot County, where he died, June 29, 1869, in his forty-first year, and was buried in the Lloyd family graveyard, at Wye, Maryland. Had five children, four of whom survive him.

LLOYD, EDWARD. Born October 22, 1825, in Baltimore, Maryland. Entered Freshman. Left at the end of the second year. Did not graduate with class, but was subsequently given the degree of A.B., and enrolled as member of the class of 1847. Has been engaged in farming in Talbot County, Maryland, all his life. Until

the Civil War, had large interests in cotton plantations in Louisiana, Mississippi and Ar-



Edward Lloyd  
Taken at 80

kansas. Was member of the House of Delegates, Maryland, in 1847, 1849 and 1884; of the State Senate eight years, and its president two sessions. A delegate to the Sound-Money Convention at Indianapolis, Indiana, September, 1903. An elector-at-large for Maryland on the Palmer and Buckner ticket

nominated at that convention. Married, June 5, 1851, Mary H. Howard, of Baltimore, and has (December 24, 1896) four sons and three daughters.

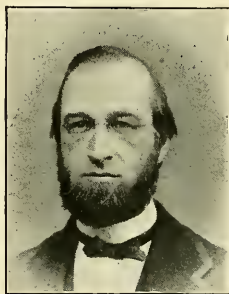
MARSH, WILLIAM WALLACE. Born August 13, 1827, at Schooleys Mountain, New Jersey. Entered Sophomore. Studied law. Subsequently engaged in business pursuits and resided in Schooleys Mountain, where his father had left him large property interests. Was a director in several large business corporations, notably the Thomas Iron Company. Was an active member of the Presbyterian Church, and



William Wallace  
Marsh  
Taken at 63

an elder of the church at Hackettstown, New Jersey, and then of the church at Schooleys Mountain, being the mainstay of the latter, and superintendent of its Sunday school. Was always in the church courts. Many times a member of the New Jersey Synod, and twice of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church. Married, May 25, 1858, Ida S. Reeder. Died during the night or in the early morning of August 30, 1892, in his sixty-fifth year. Was found dead in his room by his son. Death was attributed to heart failure. Left a widow, three daughters and one son.

MARTIEN, ALFRED. Born May 5, 1828, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Entered Senior. Engaged with his father in the book-publishing and importing business. In 1854 visited Europe and spent six months in traveling. In 1861 succeeded to his father's partnership interest in the newspaper *The Presbyterian*. Afterwards became proprietor and publisher. In 1872 introduced stereotyping of books by the papier-maché process as an addition to his printing business, being the pioneer of that kind of work in this country. Subsequently started several new periodicals, using illustrations in



Alfred Martien  
Taken at 39

advertising them, then a new idea. In 1865 was elected a trustee of Lafayette College, in Easton, Pennsylvania; continued as such twelve years. Resigned in 1877. During his trusteeship, erected the dormitory known as "Martien Hall," in memory of his father, who had been a trustee. From 1865 to 1884 held many prominent positions in connection with the Presbyterian Church, in which he was a ruling elder; a member of its Board of Domestic Missions, its Board of Publication, of its Annuity Company, and of its General Assembly at Cincinnati in 1867. After parting with his interests in the newspaper, printing and publishing business, became secretary and treasurer of a large paper mill, then treasurer of a textile manufactory. After retiring from the latter, has been practically without occupation. In 1872, upon the death of Augustine H. Fish, the first secretary of the class, was appointed his successor, and has been continued as secretary ever since. Married, February 1, 1855, Saidie Bella Smith, of Philadelphia. Issue, one son and two daughters.

MAXWELL, CHARLES EDWARD. Born May 18, 1826, in Savannah, Georgia. Entered Sophomore. Studied medicine. Practiced with Dr. Richardson in Savannah, Georgia. In order to perfect himself in his profession, subsequently attended lectures at the University of Pennsyl-

vania, Philadelphia. While returning from a visit to some friends at Basking Ridge, New Jersey, was taken ill with dysentery and stopped at a hotel in Morristown, New Jersey. A physician and his uncle, the Rev. Dr. C. C. Jones, and his wife were summoned. They arrived only in time to see him count his pulse by the watch and say, "*Must this beating pulse be still?*" He died shortly after, April 2, 1852, in his twenty-sixth year, the same day that he was to receive his diploma. His classmate, Seward, who was in Morristown at the time, performed the sad duty of keeping watch over the corpse, and wrote to a classmate, "*Poor Maxwell, how suddenly and quickly were all his fine hopes blighted.*"



Charles Edward  
Maxwell  
Taken at 25



Thomas Scott Hender-  
son McCay  
Taken at 38

McCAY, THOMAS SCOTT  
HENDERSON. Born in 1826,  
in Port Gibson, Mississippi.  
Entered Senior. Studied  
law. Practiced in New Or-  
leans, Louisiana. In 1855  
was elected to the State Sen-  
ate of Louisiana. In 1856  
was United States District  
Attorney at New Orleans,

and held other important offices of public trust. When the Union forces took and occupied New Orleans, he left the city. Returned after the surrender of General Lee and resumed the practice of his profession. His health, however, had become so much impaired that he was obliged to close his office, and for the last few years of his life lived at the home of his sister, Mrs. Sarah P. Bernard, in Lake Providence, Louisiana, where he died, September 28, 1882, in his fifty-sixth year. In 1855 married Georgine Luzenberg, of New Orleans. A year before his death, became a member of the Presbyterian Church at New Orleans. In announcing his death, the newspaper *Reveille* says: "He was a gentleman of fine personal appearance, eloquent in speech and manners. He ranked high in his profession, and in his day wielded great influence in the State."



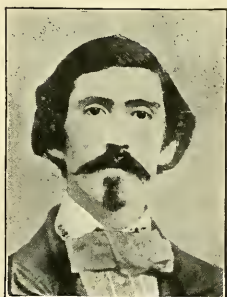
James Robert  
McFarland  
Taken at 25

McFARLAND, JAMES ROBERT. Born December 17, 1828, at Charleston, Kanawha County, West Virginia. Entered Junior. Left before graduating. Studied law. Afterwards entered the Divinity School at Cambridge, Massachusetts, and after graduating went to Iowa, where he spent some time

delivering lectures that brought him into prominence in that field of work. In 1858, May 24th, was elected pastor of the Charleston, South Carolina, Unitarian Church, and in one year after entering upon his duties, died April 4, 1859, in his thirtieth year. A handsome marble monument to his memory was erected in the churchyard, and in the church a tablet was placed giving the dates respectively of his election to the pastorate and of his death; eulogizing him as one "*Zealous and independent in preaching Christ's Gospel, untrammelled with human creeds, careful in regulating his daily life by Christ's precepts, and devoted to the propagation of God's truths; he lived and died a true Christian.*"

McKEE, JOHN HENRY.  
Born January 28, 1828, in Beaufort, South Carolina. Entered Junior. Graduated. After leaving college removed to Charleston, South Carolina, and engaged in planting at Goose Creek, South Carolina.

Married, December 9, 1856, Miss Bradford, and died in Charleston, South Carolina, in 1860, in his thirty-second year, leaving a widow and two sons.



John Henry McKee



Charles McKnight  
Taken at 55

McKNIGHT, CHARLES. BORN September 4, 1826, in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Entered Junior. Studied law. Then visited Europe. Wrote letters for publication under the name "Marco Polo, Jr." After his return delivered a lecture in several places. Engaged for a time in his brother's rolling mill. Then turned to literary pursuits and journalism. Bought out the *Pittsburgh Evening Chronicle*. As owner and editor made it the leading newspaper of the city, and about the close of the Civil War sold it with considerable profit. Subsequently becoming interested in the Colonial history of the West, wrote first an historical romance entitled "Old Fort Duquesne"; also, "Simon Girty Pontiac," and several other historical novels; besides published an historical collection entitled "Our Western Border," which had a wide circulation. About 1878 moved to Scranton, Pennsylvania, and became editor of *The Republican*; afterwards to Philadelphia, where he was in the editorial department of *The Press*, and subsequently with *The Evening News*. Died in Philadelphia, January, 1881, in his fifty-fifth year. Married, about 1857, Miss Jennie Baird, of Washington County, Pennsylvania. She de-

ceased December 2, 1897. They had eight children, of whom five were living in 1905.

MILLIKEN, SAMUEL JOHN.  
Born September 27, 1826, in  
Lewistown, Pennsylvania.  
Entered Junior. Studied  
Theology at the Princeton  
Theological Seminary. Near  
the close of the course,  
being troubled with nervous  
prostration, went to Florida.  
In April, 1853, was ordained  
as an evangelist and entered



Samuel John  
Milliken  
Taken at 60

on the work of the ministry; first in Georgia and  
Florida and later in New Jersey and Pennsylvania.  
More than fifteen years of his life were  
spent in Philadelphia, where he started two new  
church enterprises. Was pastor of the Presbyterian  
Church at Titusville, Pennsylvania, from  
1892 to 1897, when he retired from active service  
and went with Mrs. Milliken to visit his  
daughter, who was engaged in missionary work  
in Japan, and there engaged earnestly and joyously  
in forwarding the work of the missions  
for three years, when prostrated by illness, was  
obliged to undergo a surgical operation, but was  
too weak to recover from its effects and died in  
Tokio, May 15, 1900, in his seventy-third year.  
Married, September 30, 1858, Miss E. P. Granville,  
of Alexandria, Pennsylvania. Issue, two

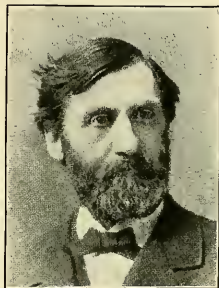
daughters and one son. The eldest daughter was in Japan as a missionary and with him at the time of his decease.

MOORE, ISAIAH N. Born in the year 1827, in Huntingdon County, Pennsylvania. Entered Sophomore. Left during Junior year to accept cadetship at West Point. In July, 1851, was appointed brevet second lieutenant Dragoons. Served on frontier at Fort Reading, Fort Jones, and in northern California. February 21, 1853, commissioned second lieutenant of First Dragoons, and March 3, 1855, first lieutenant; April 20, 1861, captain, and August 3, 1861, captain First Cavalry. Engaged most of the time scouting after Indians. Served during the Civil War, in New Mexico, where he died, January 16, 1862, in his thirty-fifth year, whilst engaged in the defense of Fort Craig.

MOORE, SAMUEL. Born April 22, 1827, in New Castle, Delaware. Entered Senior. Went West to Michigan with his father's family. Taught school in Cincinnati, Ohio. Afterwards went to New Orleans, Louisiana, where he died April 27, 1852, of consumption, in his twenty-fifth year, and was buried at Niles, Michigan.

MUNN, HENRY BENSON. Born August 1, 1826. in Belleville, New Jersey. Entered Junior. Engaged in teaching, 1847-1852, at the Ashland Hall Collegiate School of Rev. David A. Frame,

Montclair, New Jersey. Studied law with A. C. M. Pennington, Esq., 1851-1854. In May, 1854, went West and located in Portage, Columbia County, Wisconsin. Was admitted to the bar of the State in 1855. Initiated a Free and Accepted Mason in 1857. In 1858 was elected mayor of Portage, and the superintendent of its public schools 1861-2-3-4-5. While superintendent, secured the



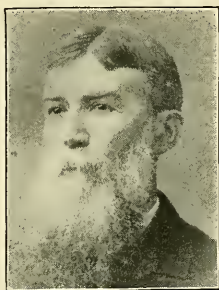
Henry Benson Munn  
Taken at 52

grounds and the erection thereon of a High-school building. In 1859 elected member of the State Legislature. In 1861 assisted Captain John Mansfield in raising a company for the Civil War, and in January, 1864, spent a week with him, then brevet-brigadier general in command of the Fifth Wisconsin in camp in the Army of the Potomac, near Culpepper, Virginia. In 1859 became interested in unimproved lands in western Iowa and Missouri. Owing to the depression of business in the West following the Civil War, removed in the winter of 1866-7 to Washington, District of Columbia, and engaged in practice as attorney, before the United States Patent Office and other departments of the Government, in partnership, first with W. C. Dodge, Esq., and subsequently with Charles

F. Stansbury, Esq., class of 1840. Was admitted to the bar of the Supreme Court of the District, March 2, 1872, and of the United States, October 8, 1888, and elected member of the American Bar Association, August 23, 1893. While retaining his Washington business associations, resided for several years in Grant City, Missouri, as member of the firm of Munn & Farwell, bankers and real-estate agents. Married, September 22, 1881, Cornelia L. Farwell, and in 1884 returned to Washington; his partner, Charles F. Stansbury, having deceased, withdrew practically from the practice of his profession and devoted himself to the care of his private affairs and the education of his children. From 1865 to 1877, as special correspondent of the *Wisconsin State Register*, wrote over the signatures of "Viator" and "Occasional," a series of letters from Washington, the Middle West, California, New Orleans, and other places. Was one of the organizers of the Princeton Alumni Association of the District of Columbia and Southern States in 1872, and has served as its president. Is a member of the University Club, Sons of the American Revolution, and the Historical and Geographical Societies of the District. Has been one of the commissioners of Rehoboth, Delaware, a seaside resort, for the past fourteen years. His family, consisting of his wife, two sons and two

daughters, are at this date (May 8, 1907) all living and residing with him.

MURDOCH, SAMUEL FRIDGE. Born May 9, 1829, in Baltimore, Maryland. Entered Junior. Studied medicine. Went to Europe and studied in the hospitals of Paris and Dublin. On his return commenced the practice of his profession in Baltimore. Was elected as manager and physician-in-charge of the House of Refuge. Held the position for twenty years and then resigned. On the 11th of June, 1862, was appointed acting assistant surgeon, United States Army, and shortly after received the appointment of surgeon of the Board of Enrollment for the Third Congressional District of Maryland; held these positions till mustered out at the close of the war. He was a member of the Medical and Surgical Faculty, president of the Academy of Medicine of Baltimore, and vice president of the Gynecological and Obstetrical Society. In 1854 married Elizabeth C. Winchester. She died in 1900, and he followed her February 19, 1901, in his seventy-second year. Left surviving, a son, Mr. Turnbull Murdoch, and a daughter, Mrs. Nicholas P. Bond.



Thomas Fridge  
Murdoch  
Taken at 64

OGDEN, FREDERIC BEASLEY. Born July 20, 1827, at Paterson, New Jersey. Entered Sophomore. Studied law. Practiced in Paterson, New Jersey, five years, then removed to Hoboken, New Jersey. Was Mayor of Hoboken 1865-6. Was District Court Judge 1877-1888. Married, September 22, 1858, Miss Ford, of Morristown, New Jersey. Died, November 1, 1893, of apoplexy, in his sixty-seventh year.

OLDEN, JOSEPH. Was born in Princeton, New Jersey, January 26, 1826. Prepared for college and entered the Sophomore class in 1844. Left in 1845 on account of ill health. On arriving at legal age became the owner of two hundred acres of land in the outskirts of Princeton, and engaged in farming. On his farm he erected a spacious dwelling for his residence which, with the farm, is known as "Spring Valley." Through his land adjoining Princeton, he laid out the street known as "Prospect Avenue," and deeded it to the town. During his life was not only a successful farmer, but was also prominent in county af-



Joseph Olden  
Taken at 43

fairs and interested in the growth of Princeton and the college. He married, September 9, 1851, Miss Mary Clemson, of New Brunswick, New

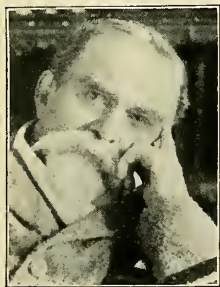
Jersey, and by her had six children. He died at his residence, February 10, 1886, in his sixty-first year. At the present time (March 7, 1907) only his widow and one daughter, Sarah E. Olden, now residents of Princeton, survive him.

OLIVER, HENRY HUNTER.  
Born in December, 1828, in Conecuh County, Alabama. Entered Junior. Studied law. Never practiced. Pursued the vocation of cotton planter on his family estate in Dallas County, Alabama. Married, June 8, 1853, Mildred M. D. George. She died in 1857, and he followed in 1864, of pneumonia, in his thirty-sixth year,



Henry Hunter Oliver  
Taken at 25

leaving one daughter.



Samuel Henry Orton  
Taken at 65

ORTON, SAMUEL HENRY.  
Born, in the year 1829, in Caldwell, New Jersey. Entered Sophomore. Studied medicine. Was employed in the Bank of Commerce, New York City, for some time. At the outbreak of the Civil War was appointed an assistant surgeon in the Regular Army. First served in the army hospital in Newark, New Jersey, and was after-

wards placed in charge of St. James Hospital in New Orleans, Louisiana. After remaining there for a few years was transferred to the McDougal Hospital, Fort Schuyler, New York. The rank of brevet major was conferred on him at the close of the war, when he resigned. He was afterwards appointed examining surgeon for recruits in New York City, an office which he retained until 1891. About this time his health began to fail and he sought relief from all important duties. He died April 26, 1892, in Norwalk, Connecticut, in his sixty-third year.



David Bryan Pugh  
Taken at 30

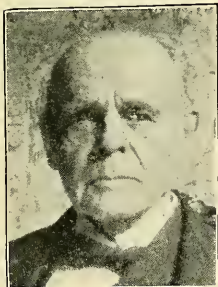
PUGH, DAVID BRYAN. Born July 28, 1828, on the sugar plantation of the family in Assumption, Louisiana. Entered Freshman. Left in 1846 before graduating. Shortly after, on account of delicate health, was sent to Europe and lived for some time in France. Married, July 7, 1859, Ellen Eustis Haven. Divided his time in traveling in the North and in looking after his sugar plantation. He died of apoplexy January 29, 1886, at La Fourche, Louisiana, in his fifty-seventh year, leaving widow, two sons and two daughters.

PUGH, EDWARD F. Born March 20, 1827, on the sugar plantation of the family, in Assumption, Louisiana. Entered Freshman. After graduation became an extensive traveler in pursuit of health. Finally settled on a beautiful sugar plantation in Assumption Parish, Louisiana, where he lived until his death, December 3, 1870, in his forty-fourth year. He was never married. His death was caused by dyspepsia.



Edward F. Pugh  
Taken at 17

RINKER, HENRY. Born April 5, 1825, in what was then Southampton County, now Monroe, Pennsylvania, in a rural district, eighteen miles from Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania. Entered Sophomore. Graduated *with first honor*. Taught for a couple of years at Mount Holly, New Jersey, then for two years studied theology at the Princeton Seminary. Subsequently took charge of the old Princeton Academy, and then of the old Edge Hill school. About a year after that, was licensed to preach, and soon left Princeton for State



Henry Rinker  
Taken at 80

of New York. Was there ordained as an evangelist and for some years was engaged in supplying several struggling churches. In 1856-57 spent about a year in the State of Wisconsin in missionary work, and part of the time in charge of Carroll College. The health of himself, as well as that of his wife, forbade a permanent residence in the West. He returned to the East and became pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Wyoming, Pennsylvania. In 1861 took charge of the Newton, New Jersey, Collegiate Institute. During the last year of the Civil War enlisted in the army as a private in the Eleventh New Jersey Volunteers. While serving, was elected a commissioned chaplain of the Eighty-Sixth New York Veteran Volunteers, and served to the close of the war. Was mustered out at the city of Elmira, New York. For several years following was struggling with imperfect health. In 1875 became pastor of the Dickinson Presbyterian Church, near Carlisle, Pennsylvania, and remained as such for nearly eight years. Since 1883 has lived a retired life on a small farm, doing evangelistic and other gospel work as health permitted. While at Princeton, in the fifties, married Mary A. Haight, of Vermont. In 1881, married, second time, Mary Weakley, of Mount Holly Springs, Pennsylvania. Issue (1897), three daughters.

RITTENHOUSE, JOSEPH MENAGH. Born June 8, 1825, at Everettstown, New Jersey. Entered Junior. Entered Princeton Theological Seminary. Was ordained and installed pastor of Middle Octoraro and Strasburg churches, Pennsylvania, November 10, 1853. After preaching in these churches with great success for twenty years, his health failed. Went to Nottoway, Virginia, bought an old plantation and occupied himself in farming. After four or five years, regained his health and resumed preaching. Being surrounded by a dense population of ignorant negroes, obtained permission to use the Court House for church purposes. Established preaching at three other places within reach of his home, and with the aid of the Presbyterian Board of Missions, established schools, and in due time built houses of worship and organized Presbyterian churches at these several places, and built Ingleside Seminary, now doing splendid work under the presidency of Rev. G. C. Campbell. Married, December 29, 1852, Sarah C. Hand, of Hunterdon County, New Jersey, a marriage that proved a very happy one. Died, July 20, 1903, in his seventy-ninth year, at Crewe, Vir-



Joseph Menagh Ritten-  
house  
Taken at 61

ginia, from a succession of slight paralytic strokes during the last years of his life.



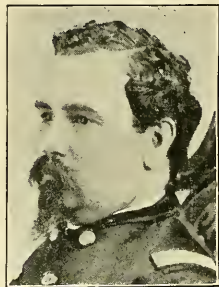
George Maxwell  
Robeson  
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ROBESON, GEORGE MAXWELL. Born March 23, 1830, at Oxford Furnace, Warren County, New Jersey. Entered Sophomore. Studied law. Practiced first at Newark, New Jersey, then at Camden. In 1859 was appointed prosecutor of the pleas for Camden County. Held the office till 1864. In

1867 was appointed Attorney-General of the State of New Jersey, and served until 1869. In 1869 was appointed Secretary of the Navy, and held the position until the expiration of General Grant's second term, 1877. In 1871 delivered the annual oration before the Cliosophic and Whig Societies. In 1879 was elected to the Forty-sixth Congress from the first district of New Jersey, and was re-elected to the Forty-seventh Congress. Married Mrs. Richmond Aulick, of Washington, District of Columbia. Issue, one daughter, Ethel Maxwell Robeson. In 1889 moved to Trenton, New Jersey, where he died, September 27, 1897, in his sixty-eighth year, in the practice of his profession.

SERGEANT, WILLIAM. Born August 29, 1829, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Entered Junior.

Studied law. Practiced in Philadelphia. In 1852 was elected to the Legislature. On the breaking out of the Civil War, was commissioned, May 14, 1861, captain Twelfth Infantry, United States Army, and ordered to Fort Hamilton, New York. Was attached to Army of the Potomac. Was at siege of Yorktown, Gaines Mill, and Malvern Hill, June 30, 1862. On the withdrawal of the army from James



William Sergeant  
Taken at 42

River, was present at the battle of Groveton, August 27 and 30, 1862, and in the subsequent operations under General Pope. Was at the battle of Antietam. In September, 1864, was appointed colonel of the Two Hundred and Tenth Pennsylvania Volunteers, and participated in the movements of the army in front of Petersburg. In the battle of the White Oak Road was badly wounded, and sent to the General Hospital, at City Point. Whilst being transferred from there to Washington for an amputation of the hip joint, he expired on the boat, April 11, 1865, in his thirty-fifth year. Was buried at Laurel Hill, Philadelphia, with the honors of war and the rights of the Masonic Fraternity. Married, November 8, 1853, Eliza Espy. Left a widow and five daughters.



Nathan A. Cooper  
Seward  
Taken at 25

SEWARD, NATHAN A. COOPER. Born November 29, 1825, at Goshen, Orange County, New York. Entered Sophomore. Studied law. Practiced in Morristown, New Jersey, with ability and success. Became a prominent member of the First Presbyterian Church. Married, October

6, 1852, Matilda Rockwell. She died in 1855. He died March 14, 1856, of inflammation of the bowels, in his thirty-first year. Buried at Pleasant Hill, New Jersey.

SHEWALTER, GEORGE WILLIAM. Born in 1827, Jefferson County, Maryland. Entered Junior. Studied medicine. Settled in Lexington, Missouri, where his parents had located. After the battle of Lexington, Missouri, September, 1861, was left in charge of wounded of



George William  
Shewalter  
Taken at 43

both armies, and became a prisoner; though not arrested, was not permitted to return South. Afterwards visited his classmate, Dr. Adler, at Davenport, Iowa. From there, in 1864, rejoined the Southern army and surrendered at close of

the war in Texas. Returned to his home in Lexington, Missouri, and continued the practice of his profession till his death, November 7, 1877, in his fiftieth year. He never married. A near relative says: "*His modesty, professional skill, learning, gentleness, kindness, and philanthropy secured for him universal esteem.*"

SHEWMAKE, JOHN TROUP.

Born June 26, 1826, in Burke County, Georgia.

Entered Sophomore. Left before graduating. Studied

law. Practiced in Waynesboro and Augusta, Georgia.

Was Solicitor-General of the Augusta Circuit. Attorney-

General of the State. Mem-

ber of the State Senate and of the Confederate Congress. Married, in 1851, Elizabeth Jones.

After the Civil War devoted himself to his profession, to the close of his life. He died in 1898,

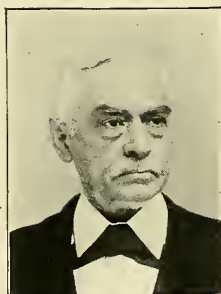
in his seventy-second year, having the highest rank in his profession, leaving four sons and

two daughters. Residence, Augusta, Ga.

SMITH, SAMUEL BAYNTON. Born October 3, 1827, at Troy, Morris County, New Jersey.

Entered Senior, from Yale. Taught one year, then studied law. In 1849 went to California,

around Cape Horn. Engaged in the search for gold with indifferent success. Was admitted to



John Troup Shewmake  
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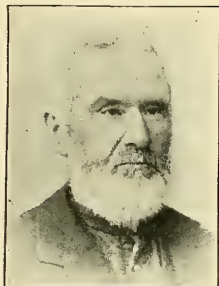
the bar. Elected sheriff of Yuba County, succeeding two predecessors who had been murdered. In 1850 settled in Sutter County. Was elected State Senator. From 1854 to 1857 was the law partner of the Honorable Stephen J.



Samuel Baynton Smith  
Taken at 53

Field, who became one of the justices of the United States Supreme Court. In 1855 appointed one of the State Commissioners to prosecute before Congress the claims of the State of California for moneys expended in its Indian wars. In 1861 returned to New York. Subsequently became manager of the Clifton Iron Works, or Company, in St. Lawrence County, and also president of the Chicago & Atlantic Railway Company. Was an active Democratic politician during the last thirty years of his life. Both in State and National conventions of the party was held in high esteem. His commanding presence, fine courtesy, and genial disposition making him influential and a favorite. He died suddenly, June 16, 1886, in his fifty-eighth year, of rheumatic heart affection, at Fredonia, New Jersey. Married first, October 30, 1856, Maria D. Cisco. She died in 1869, leaving four children surviving. Married, second time, November 17, 1874, Mrs. Alice B. Goff.

SMITHPETER, WILLIAM. Born January 26, 1819, in Carter County, Tennessee. Entered Senior, from Washington College, Tennessee. Was Professor of Mathematics in Washington College until 1849. In 1851 studied and practiced law in Taylorsville, Tennessee, till 1855. In 1857 moved with his family to Missouri and engaged in farming and stock-raising with success. In the Civil War, was a "Radical Union Man." Married, in July, 1849. Had issue nine children. Left an estate of 2000 acres home farms. Died, May 13, 1904, in his eighty-fifth year, at his home, Bogard, Missouri, of cirrhosis of the liver.



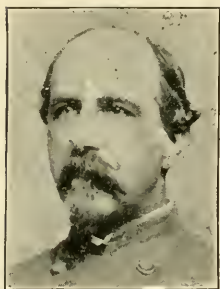
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STEVENSON, DAVID. Born in 1822, in Newry, Ireland. Came to Cambridge, New York, when young, where he united with the church and pursued his studies. Entered Sophomore. Left before graduating and entered the Theological Seminary. In 1850 licensed by the Presbytery of Elizabethtown, New Jersey, and in 1851 was ordained an evangelist by the Pres-



David Stevenson  
Taken at 70

bytery of Indianapolis, Indiana. Resided in that State till 1877, being pastor there of several churches. Was elected State Librarian and wrote and published a book entitled, "Indiana's Roll of Honor and Patriotic Dead." In 1864 or 1865, delivered the annual oration before the Whig and Clisosophic Societies of Princeton College, and had its honorary degree of D.D. conferred upon him in 1884. In 1878 returned to New Jersey, and after holding several pastorates, was, in 1896, at his own request, retired from duty and settled in Perth Amboy, engaging in Sunday-school work till his death, October 25, 1901, in his seventy-ninth year. During his life he represented his Presbyteries in several General Assemblies, and was esteemed for his courtesy, fine humor, genial spirit, and eloquence, as well as for his strong faith and pure gospel he loved to preach. In 1887 he married Miss Adele Manning, who survived him.



Joseph Harris Stone-  
street  
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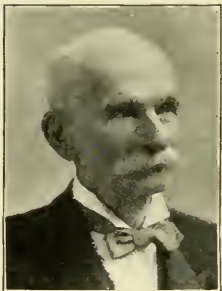
STONESTREET, JOSEPH HARRIS. Born December 10, 1826, in Port Tobacco, Maryland. Entered Freshman. Studied law. Admitted to the bar. Engaged in agricultural pursuits, and pursued them very successfully till the commencement of the Civil War. Then en-

listed in the Confederate service as private in an artillery company. Was promoted to lieutenant and served till the surrender at Appomattox, when he was paroled. On his return home resumed farming, but, under the changed conditions, with poor success. In 1901 was attacked with paralysis, from which he suffered until the day of his death. Was Justice of the Peace for five years. He died, August 5, 1895, in his sixty-ninth year, on his home farm, near Laplata, Charles County, Maryland, and was buried in Mount Rest Cemetery. Was twice married. First, to Ann Gwinetta Harris, June, 1857. She died the following December. Married, second time, August 4, 1870, Emily Ferguson, who, with three children, survived him. Was a "good son, brother, husband and father, and was respected by all with whom he was brought in contact."

STROTHER, JOHN HUNT. Born (date unknown) in St. Louis, Missouri. Entered Sophomore. Shortly after graduating went to Europe with his mother and sister. He pursued no special vocation. Never married. Died in 1861.

STURGESS, JOHN REYNOLDS. Born in 1827, in Burke County, Georgia. Entered Sophomore. Left for Yale College before graduating. Taught school four or five years. Then studied law and practiced with success in Waynesboro, Georgia. Was member of the Georgia Legisla-

ture 1857-1859. In the Civil War. Was, in 1861, first lieutenant of the Burke Guards, and in the reorganization of the military forces of the State for the Confederate service, became major and then colonel of the Third Georgia Regiment. Was killed, July, 1862, at the battle of Malvern Hill, in his thirty-fifth year, while leading his regiment, and was buried on a farm near the battlefield. After the war his remains were brought from Virginia and re-interred in the Waynesboro Cemetery, Burke County, Georgia.



John Augustus Swope  
Taken at 78

SWOPE, JOHN AUGUSTUS. Born December 25, 1827, at Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. Entered Junior. Studied medicine, and practiced for some years. Then engaged in financial pursuits and succeeded his father as president of the Gettysburg National Bank. In 1884

was elected to Congress from the Nineteenth Congressional District, Pennsylvania, and re-elected on the expiration of his first term. At the termination of his second term declined further political honors, and, locating in Washington, District of Columbia, became interested in establishing the Washington Loan and Trust Company, and subsequently was elected its vice

president, which position (1905) he still holds, and is actively engaged in discharging his duties. Married twice. First to Emma C. Wirt and second to Blanche Mitchell.

TAYLOR, WILLIAM. Born June 30, 1827, near Berryville, Clarke County, Virginia. Entered Sophomore. Left in 1846, before graduating. Followed farming in his native county until the commencement of the Civil War, when, April, 1861, he enlisted with the Clarke County Cavalry, with



William Taylor

rank of major, in the Confederate Army. Was in command of his company at the first battle of Manassas, and was wounded shortly afterwards. Subsequently continued with the army until its surrender at Appomattox, when he returned to his farm in Clarke County, where he lived to the time of his death, December 4, 1891, in his sixty-fifth year. Married, May 15, 1849, Miss Gertrude McGuire, and on his decease left a widow and four children.

TINGLE, WILLIAM STUART WILLIAMSON. Born November 28, 1826, at Snow Hill, Maryland. Entered Junior. Left before graduating. Studied law. Practiced with success at Snow Hill and in the State. At the breaking out of



William Stuart Wil-  
liamson Tingle  
Taken at 30

the Civil War was arrested for supposed disloyalty and held as a suspect. He died, February 3, 1866, in his fortieth year, from the effects of a bullet wound at the hands of a colonel of cavalry, with whom he had a controversy, believing that he was the party instrumental in having him arrested as a suspect during the war.

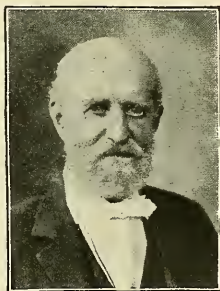
TODD, GEORGE W. Was Born in 1826 at Salisbury, Maryland. Entered Freshman, 1843, and left at the end of the Sophomore year. Studied medicine at the Maryland University, graduating in 1847. Settled in Salisbury. There practiced his profession for many years, and became the leading physician of that section of the State. Was a member and ruling elder of the Presbyterian Church and prominent in its councils. In 1849 married Miss S. Frances Hooper, and died, June 13, 1875, in his forty-ninth year, of Bright's disease.



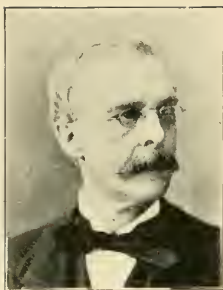
George W. Todd  
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TOLAND, HENRY. Born June 18, 1828, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Entered Junior. Studied medicine. Then went abroad on account of ill health. Returned, and died in Philadelphia, April 23, 1858, in his twenty-ninth year. Was never married.

WELLFORD, BEVERLEY RANDOLPH, JR. Born May 10, 1828, in Fredericksburg, Virginia. Entered Junior. Was the Valedictorian of the class. Studied law. Practiced in Fredericksburg and the surrounding counties. In December, 1854, removed to Richmond, Virginia. Continued his practice. On the breaking out of the war and during its continuance, was engaged in the War Department of the Confederate States. After the war, resumed practice. In 1870 was elected judge of the Circuit Court of Virginia, and continued to hold the office till 1904, when he retired. Was Grand Master of Masons in Virginia, 1878-1880. Was made a ruling elder in the First Presbyterian Church, Richmond, in 1870. In 1879 delivered the address before the Whig and Clisosophic Societies of Princeton College. Married, March 3, 1858, and (1897) had three surviving children—two daughters and one son.



Beverley Randolph  
Wellford, Jr.  
Taken at 71



William Henry Welsh  
Taken at 48

WELSH, WILLIAM HENRY.  
Born February 23, 1826, in the borough of York, York County, Pennsylvania. Entered Junior. Studied law. Practiced in York. In 1853, accompanied James Buchanan, minister to England, as private secretary, an attache to the United States

Legation. Was present at the Ostend Conference. In 1855, was elected State Senator from York. Served two terms of three years each, and a portion of the time as speaker. In 1856, became one of the proprietors of the *York Gazette*, Democratic, and for several years its principal editor. In 1860, was president of the Democratic State Committee and chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee. In 1861, moved to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and opened a law office. In 1863, with two other prominent journalists, founded the *Philadelphia Age*, and devoted his time to its editorials. In 1872, removed to Baltimore, Maryland, purchased a controlling interest in the *Baltimore Gazette*, and continued at its head until 1881, when he retired from journalism. In 1880, was chosen one of the Presidential Electors for Maryland on the Democratic ticket. In 1881, delivered the annual address before the literary

societies of Princeton College. In 1885, was appointed third auditor of United States Treasury Department. In 1887, delivered a memorial poem at the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the York County Academy, in York, Pennsylvania. He married, in 1860, Sarah A. Wickes, and had issue, four children—three sons and a daughter—living, May, 1907. She died in 1902. He died, December 2, 1903, in his seventy-seventh year, at the home of his son-in-law, George Buchanan Fife, in New York City.

WHITE, WILLIAM L. Born (date unknown) in Richmond, Kentucky. Entered Sophomore. Left the following year, on the death of his father, September 22, 1845.

WHITEHEAD, JOHN RANDOLPH. Born 1828, in Burke County, Georgia. Entered Sophomore. Left before graduating and entered Franklin College, Athens, Georgia. Followed planting in Burke and Baker Counties, Georgia. In the Civil War was a lieutenant in Cobb's Legion, and afterwards major of the Fourth Regiment, Georgia. In 1863 was member of the Georgia Legislature. In 1851 married Miss Connelly, of Jefferson County, Geor-



John Randolph Whitehead  
Taken at 41

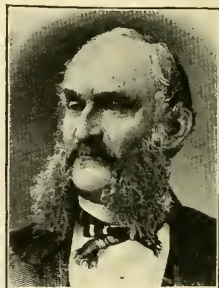
gia. Died in 1876, on his plantation, in Miller County, Georgia, of apoplexy, in his forty-eighth year, leaving a widow and three children—one son and two daughters.

WHITEHEAD, JAMES TROUPE. Born October 13, 1827, in Burke County, Georgia. Entered Sophomore. Engaged in planting. During the Civil War served on the staff of General Carswell. After the war, lived the retired life of a planter, and, with the exception of attending county meetings, took no part in public affairs, owing to indifferent health. He died, February 23, 1889, in his sixty-first year, of Bright's disease. Married, in 1851, Miss Harper, of Augusta, Georgia, and left widow and one son.



James Troupe Whitehead  
Taken at 41

WHITEHEAD, WILLIAM SILAS. Born March 3, 1829, in Newark, New Jersey. Entered Sophomore. Studied law. Practiced successfully, and was well known in all the courts of the State. Held the office of Surrogate of Es-



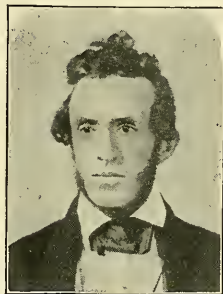
William Silas Whitehead  
Taken at 45

sex County for five years. Visited Europe. In 1864, was elected Grand Master of Masons, of New Jersey, and held the office for many years, and was a prominent official at Masonic ceremonies. During the last years of his life, on account of ill health, did not appear much in public. He died, February 14, 1904, in his seventy-fifth year, at his home, in Newark. Was never married. His funeral was attended by the leading members of the bar of the State.

WILLSON, ALPHEUS EVANS.

Born October 24, 1828, Spring Hill Furnace, Fayette County, Pennsylvania. Entered Sophomore. Studied law. Practiced for a few years in Fayette County, then moved to New London, Ohio, and there engaged in practice and farming. On the decease of his

wife, in 1863, returned to Fayette County, and there continued practice and farming, with residence at Uniontown. In 1873, was elected judge of the courts of Fayette and Green Counties, and served till the end of term, expiring January 1, 1884. Although struggling with failing health for several years, after leaving the bench his health did not improve, and he died at Uniontown, Pennsylvania, September 9,



Alpheus Evans  
Willson  
Taken at 30

1884, in his fifty-seventh year. He married, in 1855, Catharine Dawson, and left three daughters.

· WRIGHT, WILLIAM F. Born in 1826, in St. Louis, Missouri. Entered Sophomore. Left in 1845. Belonged to a very wealthy family. Pursued no special occupation. Married young and died soon after.



Wm. H. Armstrong    Henry C. Cameron  
Age 78                      Age 75

Wm. Silas Whitehead  
Age 73

Alfred Martien  
Age 74

Henry B. Munn  
Age 76

**CLASSMATES WHO WERE PRESENT AT THE REUNION OF THE CLASS ON JUNE 10, 1902**

Two of these classmates have died since the Reunion—Wm. SILAS WHITEHEAD, Feb. 14, 1906, and HENRY C. CAMERON, Oct. 25, 1906



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At the meeting of the class, June 19, 1897, at Princeton, to celebrate its Golden Anniversary, those present were: John M. Adler, M.D., Hon. William H. Armstrong, Professor Henry C. Cameron, Professor John Gosman, Alfred Martien, Rev. Samuel J. Milliken, Hon. Henry B. Munn, Hon. Wm. Silas Whitehead, S. Hastings Grant, Rev. David Stevenson. The class president was Hon. Wm. S. Whitehead; secretary, Alfred Martien; historian, Hon. Henry B. Munn.

The historian, having presented some reminiscences and sketches of the lives of some of the members, was requested to prepare a brief sketch of the lives of all the members, and, in connection with the secretary, to have them printed, together with portraits, illustrations, and such other matter as they might decide would add interest and value to the volume.

The result is embraced in the preceding pages, and almost completes the record of the entire class. Of the eighty-five members that composed its undergraduate life, now, June, 1907, sixty years after the class graduated, only ten are living—all octogenarians. Some of the

members fell early. Many lived long enough to play important parts in the history of their country, and others have continued their usefulness to the present day.

The class graduated shortly after the close of the war with Mexico. Electric telegraphs were then in their infancy. Railroads had not crossed the Alleghenies. Transportation throughout the country was mainly by stage-coach, canals and steamboats. No steamship lines or marine cables extended to foreign countries. Since then and during the lifetime of the class, the country has been covered with a network of railroads and telegraphs from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and from the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico. Steamship lines and marine cables have been run to every important point on the ocean's coast. Thirteen new states have been admitted to the Union. A bloody Civil War has been fought out for its preservation. A foreign war, ending in the acquisition of distant colonial possessions, carried on. Three Presidents have been assassinated. A canal across the Isthmus of Panama commenced. The great West and the mineral regions of the Rocky Mountains and Alaska been developed. Large educational institutions and industrial plants have been established throughout the country.

In all these wonderful advances of civilization

during the last half century, many of the members of the class have played important parts. Their voices have been heard and their influence felt in the Cabinet of the President, in the National Legislature, in the Legislative Halls of nine different States, in municipal affairs, on the bench, at the bar, on the rostrum, in the professor's chair, and in missionary work abroad and at home. Some have distinguished themselves as physicians and surgeons in medical institutions, in the hospitals and on the field of battle,—as librarians, journalists, authors, publishers, planters, farmers, and successful promoters of large financial, industrial and educational enterprises.

In the Civil War the class divided as they saw the right. Four of its members fell on the field of battle and others returned home with shattered constitutions. In all the bitterness of the strife, the Princeton spirit, and the bond of good comradeship of the undergraduate days was ever cherished and unshaken. At all the reunions of the class, which were held at intervals of five years, the members have met as brothers, breathing only love and loyalty to one another, and to their *Alma Mater, Old Nassau!*

And now, as the end draws nigh, as the shadows lengthen, and the curtain about to drop, the class historian and secretary present this volume to the surviving members, to the

friends of those deceased, and to their *Alma Mater*, regretting only that it is not more complete.

“Enough, if something from our hands has  
power

To live and act and serve the future hour;

And if, as towards the silent tomb we go  
Through love, through hope and faith's tran-  
scendent dower,

We feel that we are greater than we know.”



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